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450101-02043

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s) : Kaoru Suzuki
Serial No. : 09/530,290
For : MEMORY APPARATUS, DATA-PROCESSING APPARATUS, AND DATA-PROCESSING METHOD
Filed : April 27, 2000
Examiner : Kimberly N. McLean-Mayo
Art Unit : 2187

Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☒ No additional fee is required.
☐ The fee has been calculated as shown below.
☐ This is an application of a small entity under 37 CFR 1.9(f), and the amounts shown in parentheses apply.

Claims as Amended

| (1) | (2) Claims remaining after amendment | (3) | (4) Highest number previously paid for | (5) Present extra | (6) Rate | (7) Additional fee |
|--------------------|--|-------|---|--|-------------|--------------------------|
| Total claims | 20 | Minus | = 20 | 0 × | \$18(9) | = \$00.00 |
| Independent claims | 3 | Minus | = 3 | 0 × | \$84(42) | = \$.00 |
| | | | | Total additional fee for this amendment | | \$.00 |

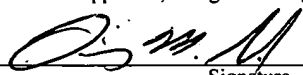
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** If the highest number of total claims previously paid for is less than 20, write "20" in this space.
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- ☐ This application contains a multiple dependent claim. The required fee of \$260 (\$130) has been previously paid __, or is paid herewith __.
- ☐ This response is being filed within the month following the expiration of the term originally set therefor. This is a petition to request a __ month extension of time. A check covering the cost of the petition is enclosed.
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$ ____ is attached, which covers the cost of ☐ additional claims __ petition for extension of time.
- ☐ Charge \$ __ to Deposit Account No. 50-0320.
- ☒ Please charge any additional fees incurred by reason of this response or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0320.

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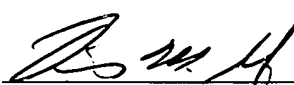
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AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of September 22, 2003, please amend this application as follows: